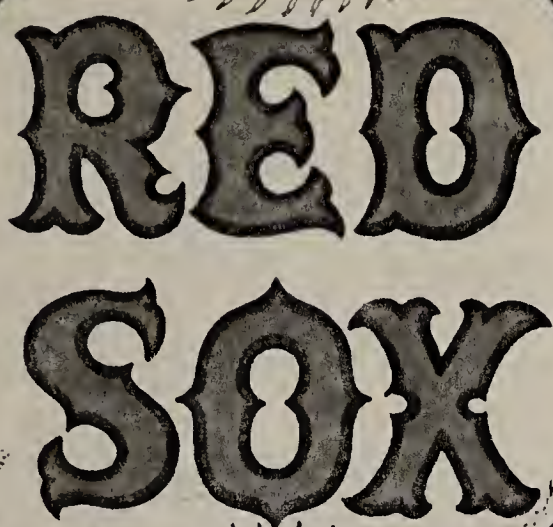


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**1953**





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# Training Season



Red Sox Headquarters

Ball Parks

## SARASOTA

John Ringling Hotel

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## ST. PETERSBURG

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Plant Field

## BRADENTON

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## ROANOKE

Roanoke Hotel

Maher Field

## RICHMOND

Richmond Hotel

Mooers Field

## HARTFORD

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# Boston Red Sox Itinerary 1953

## Southbound

February 23	Lv. Boston, South Station	NH #175	8:30 A.M.
	Due New York, Penn Sta.		1:20 P.M.
	Lv. New York, Penn Sta.	PRR #175	1:30 P.M.
	Due Washington, Union Sta.		5:15 P.M.
	Lv. Washington, Union Sta.	RF & P #57-157	6:45 P.M.
February 24	Arr. Sarasota	SAL #157	4:00 P.M.

## Northbound

March 31	Lv. Sarasota	ACL #76	4:50 P.M.
April 1	Due Jacksonville		6:30 A.M.
April 1	Lv. Jacksonville, Union Sta.	ACL #6	7:20 P.M.
	Due Waycross, Ga.		8:40 P.M.
April 2	Lv. Waycross, Ga.	ACL #57	11:15 P.M.
April 3	Due Montgomery, Ala.		7:00 A.M.
April 3	Lv. Montgomery	L & N #4	6:15 P.M.
	Due Birmingham		8:30 P.M.
April 4	Lv. Birmingham	Frisco	9:30 P.M.
April 5	Due Memphis, Tenn.		6:30 A.M.
April 5	Lv. Memphis	EAL	9:15 P.M.
April 6	Due Charlotte, N. C.		1:00 A.M.
April 6	Lv. Charlotte, N. C., Sou.	#30	8:40 P.M.
April 7	Due Lynchburg		1:45 A.M.
April 7	Lv. Lynchburg	N & W #41	4:20 A.M.
	Due Roanoke, Va.		5:30 A.M.
April 8	Lv. Roanoke	N & W #16	12:35 A.M.
	Due Richmond	ACL	7:20 A.M.
April 8	Lv. Richmond	R F & P	5:20 P.M.
	Due Washington, Union Sta.		7:35 P.M.
	Lv. Washington, Union Sta.	P R R #172	10:45 P.M.
April 9	Due Hartford, Conn.	N H	7:57 A.M.
April 9	Lv. Hartford	N H #136	5:00 P.M.
	Due Boston		7:51 P.M.

# Spring Training 1953



March 7—Sat.	Cincinnati at Sarasota
March 8—Sun.	Phillies at Sarasota
March 9—Mon.	Yankees at Sarasota
March 10—Tues.	Yankees at St. Petersburg
March 11—Wed.	Cardinals at St. Petersburg
March 12—Thurs.	Cardinals at Sarasota
March 13—Fri.	Detroit at Sarasota
March 14—Sat.	Braves at Sarasota
March 15—Sun.	Cincinnati at Tampa
March 16—Mon.	Braves at Bradenton
March 17—Tues.	Cardinals at St. Petersburg
March 18—Wed.	Cincinnati at Sarasota
March 19—Thurs.	Detroit at Lakeland
March 20—Fri.	Athletics at West Palm Beach
March 21—Sat.	Brooklyn at Miami
March 22—Sun.	Brooklyn at Miami
March 23—Mon.	Open
March 24—Tues.	Yankees at Sarasota
March 25—Wed.	Washington at Sarasota
March 26—Thurs.	Washington at Orlando
March 27—Fri.	Phillies at Clearwater
March 28—Sat.	Yankees at St. Petersburg
March 29—Sun.	Detroit at Sarasota
March 30—Mon.	Brooklyn at Sarasota
March 31—Tues.	Break Camp
April 1—Wed.	Jacksonville at Jacksonville, Fla.
April 2—Thurs.	Phillies at Waycross, Georgia
April 3—Fri.	Phillies at Montgomery, Ala.
April 4—Sat.	Birmingham at Birmingham, Ala.
April 5—Sun.	Memphis at Memphis, Tenn.
April 6—Mon.	Phillies at Charlotte, N. C.
April 7—Tues.	Phillies at Roanoke, Va.
April 8—Wed.	Phillies at Richmond, Va.
April 9—Thurs.	Braves at Hartford, Conn.
April 10—Fri.	Braves at Fenway Park
April 11—Sat.	Braves at Fenway Park
April 12—Sun.	Braves at Braves Field





# BOSTON RED SOX ROSTER — 1953

No.	PITCHERS	Birth Date	Ht.	Wt.	Home Address	Bats	Throws	Club in 1952	G	CG	W	L	IP	R	H	ER	BB	SO	ERA		
26.	BRICKNER, RALPH . . . . .	May 2, 1926	6'3"	210	Bridgetown, Ohio	R	R	{ Louisville	6	1	2	2	38	13	30	10	10	12	2.37		
12.	BROWN, HECTOR . . . . .	Dec. 11, 1924	6'2"	182	Greensboro, N. C.	R	R	{ Boston	14	0	3	1	33	8	32	8	11	9	2.18		
								{ Chicago	24	1	2	3	72	39	82	34	21	31	4.25		
29.	DELOCK, IVAN . . . . .	Nov. 11, 1929	5'11"	175	Highland Park, Mich.	R	R	{ Louisville	2	2	2	0	16	4	10	4	5	16	2.25		
								{ Boston	39	1	4	9	95	50	88	45	50	46	4.26		
25.	FLOWERS, BENNETT, JR. . . . .	June 15, 1927	6'4"	195	Wilson, N. C.	R	R	{ Birmingham	10	3	2	6	59	33	62	32	27	35	4.88		
								{ San Diego	26	13	11	10	167	61	149	59	62	114	3.18		
23.	FREEMAN, HERSHELL . . . . .	July 1, 1928	6'2"	215	East Gadsden, Ala.	R	R	{ Louisville	38	0	8	7	74	28	73	24	28	48	2.92		
								{ Boston	4	1	1	0	14	5	13	5	5	5	3.23		
39.	GRISSOM, MARVIN . . . . .	Mar. 31, 1918	6'3"	195	Red Bluff, Calif.	R	R	{ Chicago	28	7	12	10	166	79	156	69	79	97	3.74		
24.	HENRY, WILLIAM . . . . .	Oct. 15, 1927	6'2"	180	Houston, Texas	L	L	{ Boston	13	5	5	4	77	40	75	33	36	23	3.86		
								{ San Diego	17	9	7	9	123	54	117	49	55	85	3.59		
18.	HERRIN, THOMAS . . . . .	Sept. 12, 1929	6'3"	175	Louisville, Ky.	R	R	{ Louisville	28	16	10	12	191	103	190	88	94	78	4.15		
27.	HOLCOMBE, KENNETH . . . . .	Aug. 23, 1918	5'11½"	185	Asheville, N. C.	R	R	{ Chi. 7, St. L. 12	19	1	0	7	56	34	58	33	27	19	5.30		
								{ Louisville	9	4	5	2	63	29	57	27	12	30	3.86		
20.	HUDSON, SIDNEY . . . . .	Jan. 3, 1917	6'3½"	185	Lubbock, Texas	R	R	{ Washington	7	6	3	4	63	22	59	19	29	24	2.71		
								{ Boston	21	7	7	9	134	64	145	54	36	50	3.63		
44.	KENNEDY, WILLIAM . . . . .	Mar. 14, 1921	6'2½"	200	Rocky Mount, N. C.	L	L	{ Chicago	47	0	2	2	71	27	54	22	38	46	2.79		
16.	KINDER, ELLIS . . . . .	July 26, 1914	6'1"	195	Boston, Mass.	R	R	{ Boston	23	4	5	6	98	33	85	28	28	50	2.57		
19.	MCDERMOTT, MAURICE . . . . .	Aug. 29, 1928	6'2"	170	Boston, Mass.	L	L	{ Boston	30	7	10	9	162	70	139	67	92	117	3.72		
28.	MCWILLIAMS, STANLEY . . . . .	Nov. 3, 1927	6'3"	195	Vallejo, Calif.	R	R	{ Birmingham	7	0	0	0	11	1	8	1	5	3	0.82		
								{ Albany	29	4	6	7	114	56	115	45	41	41	3.55		
21.	NIXON, WILLARD . . . . .	June 17, 1928	6'2¼"	192	Lindale, Ga.	L	R	{ Boston	23	5	5	4	104	64	115	56	61	50	4.85		
17.	PARNELL, MELVIN . . . . .	June 13, 1922	6'0"	180	New Orleans, La.	L	L	{ Boston	33	15	12	12	214	94	207	86	89	107	3.62		
34.	UIHAZE, GEORGE . . . . .	Feb. 19, 1929	5'11"	185	Trenton, N. J.	R	R	{ Albany	31	19	18	10	203	72	166	48	55	77	2.13		
15.	WERLE, WILLIAM . . . . .	Dec. 21, 1922	6'2"	192	San Mateo, Calif.	L	L	{ Pitts. 5, St. L. 19	24	0	1	2	43	28	49	25	16	24	5.23		
No.	CATCHERS	Birth Date	Ht.	Wt.	Home Address	Bats	Throws	Club in 1952	G	AB	R	H	TB	RBI	HR	BA	PO	A	E	FA	
11.	NIARLOS, CONSTANTINE . . . . .	Dec. 6, 1921	6'0"	165	Philadelphia, Pa.	R	R	{ Boston	29	58	4	6	6	4	0	.103	107	12	1	.992	
22.	WHITE, SAMMY . . . . .	July 7, 1928	6'3"	195	Seattle, Wash.	R	R	{ Boston	115	381	35	107	161	49	10	.281	464	59	9	.983	
33.	WILBER, DELBERT . . . . .	Feb. 24, 1919	6'2½"	208	Kirkwood, Mo.	R	R	{ Philadelphia (N)	2	2	0	0	0	0	0	.000		no record			
								{ Boston	47	135	7	36	57	23	3	.267	160	22	1	.995	
No.	INFIELDERS	Birth Date	Ht.	Wt.	Home Address	Bats	Throws	Club in 1952	G	AB	R	H	TB	RBI	HR	BA	PO	A	E	DP	FA
2.	BOLLING, MILTON . . . . .	Aug. 9, 1930	6'1"	180	Mobile, Ala.	R	R	{ Birmingham	94	332	42	83	119	32	8	.250	195	333	33	73	.941
								{ Boston	11	36	4	8	12	3	1	.222	22	41	1	6	.984
38.	CONSOLO, WILLIAM . . . . .	Aug. 18, 1934	5'11"	180	Los Angeles, Calif.	R	R	{ Free Agent													
3.	GERNERT, RICHARD . . . . .	Sept. 12, 1929	6'3"	205	Reading, Pa.	R	R	{ Louisville	19	73	17	23	42	16	4	.315	175	14	0	12	1.000
								{ Boston	102	367	58	89	170	67	19	.243	877	67	12	104	.987
10.	GOODMAN, WILLIAM . . . . .	Mar. 22, 1926	5'11½"	150	Sarasota, Fla.	L	R	{ Boston	138	513	79	157	202	56	4	.306	475	367	20	112	.977
1.	KELL, GEORGE . . . . .	Aug. 23, 1922	5'10"	175	Swifton, Ark.	R	R	{ Detroit	39	152	11	45	56	17	1	.296					
								{ Boston	75	276	41	88	125	40	6	.319	113	216	14	21	.959
5.	LEPCIO, THADDEUS . . . . .	July 28, 1930	5'10"	176	Utica, N. Y.	R	R	{ Louisville	1	1	0	0	0	0	0	.000	0	0	0	0	.000
								{ Boston	84	274	34	72	108	26	5	.263	164	212	14	46	.964
6.	LIPON, JOHN . . . . .	Nov. 10, 1922	6'0"	175	Eddy, Texas	R	R	{ Detroit	39	136	17	30	38	12	0	.221	202	330	11	67	.980
								{ Boston	79	234	25	48	58	18	0	.205					
14.	MERSON, JOHN . . . . .	Jan. 17, 1924	5'11"	175	Elk Ridge, Md.	R	R	{ Pittsburgh	111	398	41	98	137	38	5	.246	220	266	12	62	.976
8.	RICHTER, ALLEN . . . . .	Feb. 7, 1927	6'0"	175	Norfolk, Va.	R	R	{ San Diego	152	516	49	128	160	61	1	.248	287	453	38	89	.951
No.	OUTFIELDERS	Birth Date	Ht.	Wt.	Home Address	Bats	Throws	Club in 1952	G	AB	R	H	TB	RBI	HR	BA	PO	A	E	FA	
7.	DiMAGGIO, DOMINIC . . . . .	Feb. 12, 1918	5'9"	170	Wellesley, Mass.	R	R	{ Boston	128	486	81	143	183	33	6	.294	303	12	8	.975	
31.	EVERS, WALTER . . . . .	Feb. 8, 1921	6'2"	180	Bradenton, Fla.	R	R	{ Detroit	1	1	0	1	1	0	0	1.000					
								{ Boston	106	401	53	105	172	59	14	.262	219	8	6	.974	
37.	PIERSALL, JAMES . . . . .	Nov. 14, 1929	6'0"	175	Boston, Mass.	R	R	{ Boston	56	161	28	43	54	16	1	.267	79	78	9	.946	
								{ Birmingham	18	56	10	19	28	10	1	.339	55	1	0	1.000	
36.	STEPHENS, EUGENE . . . . .	Jan. 20, 1934	6'3"	175	Gravette, Ark.	L	R	{ Albany	35	124	15	22	35	19	3	.177	41	2	4	.915	
								{ Louisville	60	216	43	61	88	17	3	.282	132	2	6	.957	
30.	VOLLMER, CLYDE . . . . .	Sept. 24, 1921	6'1"	190	Cincinnati, Ohio	R	R	{ Boston	21	53	10	12	17	5	0	.226	24	1	1	.962	
								{ Boston	90	250	35	66	119	50	11	.264	143	*3	0	1.000	
35.	WILSON, ARCHIE . . . . .	Nov. 25, 1923	5'11"	186	Henderson, Nev.	R	R	{ N.Y. 3, Wash. 26	29	98	8	21	29	15	0	.214					
								{ Boston	18	38	1	10	13	2	0	.263	84	1	3	.966	
								{ Louisville	11	29	2	3	5	0	0	.103	11	1	1	.923	
32.	ZARILLA, ALLEN . . . . .	May 1, 1920	5'11"	185	Monrovia, Calif.	L	R	{ Chi. 39, St. L. 48	37	229	34	54	75	16	3	.236					
								{ Boston	21	60	9	11	19	8	2	.183	141	10	5	.968	

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## Home Games 1953

APRIL—	Washington	14, 15
	Philadelphia	24, 25, 26 (Sun. 2)
MAY—	New York	8 (N), 9, 10 (Sun.)
	Chicago	12 (N), 13
	Cleveland	14, 15, 16
	Detroit	17 (Sun. 2)
	St. Louis	19, 20
	Philadelphia	21, 22
	Washington	31 (Sun. 2)
JUNE—	Detroit	16 (N), 17, 18
	St. Louis	19, 20, 21 (Sun. 2)
	Cleveland	23, (N), 24, 25
	Chicago	26 (N), 27, 28 (Sun.)
	New York	30 (N)
JULY—	New York	1, 2
	Washington	3 (N), 4 (Hol. 2)
	Philadelphia	10 (N), 11, 12 (Sun.)
	Chicago	28 (N), 29, 30
	Detroit	31 (N)
AUGUST—	Detroit	1, 2 (Sun. 2)
	St. Louis	4, 5, 6
	Cleveland	7 (N), 8, 9 (Sun.)
	Washington	14 (N), 15, 16 (Sun. 2)
	Philadelphia	18 (N), 19
SEPTEMBER—	New York	7 (Hol. 2)
	Cleveland	9 (N), 10
	St. Louis	11, 12
	Chicago	13 (Sun.), 14, 15
	Detroit	16, 17
	New York	19, 20 (Sun.), 21

## American League Season

Hotels	Ball Parks
<b>CHICAGO</b>	
Del Prado Hotel	Comiskey Park
<b>CLEVELAND</b>	
Carter Hotel	Cleveland Stadium
<b>DETROIT</b>	
Sheraton-Cadillac Hotel	Briggs Stadium
<b>NEW YORK</b>	
Commodore Hotel	Yankee Stadium
<b>PHILADELPHIA</b>	
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<b>ST. LOUIS</b>	
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